

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: September 26, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

FLOUR

Nos. 8535 to 8555 report actions involving flour that was insect- or rodent-infested, or both. (In those cases in which the time of contamination was known, that fact is stated in the notice of judgment.) In addition, the flour reported in No. 8556 failed to meet the standard for enriched flour.

8535. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 57 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold. (F. D. C. No. 16395. Sample Nos. 24602-H, 24603-H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 6, 1945, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 15 and February 17, 1945, by the Acme Flour Mills Co., from Oklahoma City, Okla.

PRODUCT: 57 100-pound bags of flour at New Orleans, La.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sonny Boy," or "Speed King."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of weevils, larvae, insect fragments, rodent excreta, and larva fragments.

DISPOSITION: October 25, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered, and it was ordered that the product be sold on condition that it be denatured and converted by the purchaser, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration, into an article that could be used for animal feed or for the distillation of alcohol.

8536. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 1,510 Bags of Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 16998. Sample Nos. 24707-H, 24842-H, 24844-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 7, 1945, Northern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 27 and June 2, 1945, by the H. C. Cole Milling Co., from Memphis, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 1,175 10-pound bags, 196 25-pound bags, 31 50-pound bags, and 108 100-pound bags of flour at Pensacola, Fla.

LABEL, IN PART: "Omega Pure Soft Wheat Flour Enriched [or "Bakers Flour Bleached"]," or "Enriched White Ring Flour."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of weevils and larvae.

DISPOSITION: August 25, 1945. The Pace-Holland Co., Pensacola, Fla., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for denaturing under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

8537. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 82 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a public institution. (F. D. C. No. 16886. Sample No. 17466-H.)

LIBEL FILED: July 28, 1945, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 16, 1945, by the Bay State Milling Co., from Winona, Minn.

PRODUCT: 82 100-pound bags of flour at Chicago, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Fancy First Clear Boxer Flour Bleached."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of beetles and larvae.

DISPOSITION: September 13, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a public institution, for use as animal feed.